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ADVANTAGE FOR GOV.
BLACK.

When Gov. Stanley takes his seat as United States Senator on March 4th next, he will be succeeded as Governor by Lt. Gov. James D. Black, and as the latter will serve as Chief Executive for nearly ten months, it should give him a decided advantage in his race for the Democratic nomination for Governor, for which he has been an avowed candidate for more than a year. It is generally understood that when Gov. Black became a candidate for the lieutenant governorship, in 1915, he did so with the idea of succeeding to the governorship, and being a good organizer, he has employed the intervening time in fixing his fences all over the state. His unpopularity in office when the primary is held, those acquainted with the possibilities and ramifications of the political game agree, give Gov. Black an advantage — Louisville Times.

BRODHEAD

Homer Sutton, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sutton, died last Saturday morning at the home of his parents, about two miles from here, with pneumonia following an attack of flu. His remains were buried Saturday afternoon at the Christian church cemetery, after short services at the grave by the Rev. A. J. Pike. Besides his parents number of brothers and sisters are left to mourn his loss. A splendid likeness of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Carter, and the following appeared in Monday's issue of the Courier Journal: Shelbyville, Ky., November 24—Hundreds of Kentuckians, including twenty two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren, were interested in the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Farmer Carter which was celebrated at the home of a daughter, Mrs. O. D. Ronlett, north of Shelbyville, last Tuesday. The couple were married in Owen county in 1868, and made their home there until a few years ago, when they removed to Rockcastle county to live with a son, Dr. W. F. Carter. Other children are: Charles W. Carter, Shelby county, the Rev. J. W. Carter, Wilmore; Mrs. Henry Taylor, Shelby county; N. Giles Carter, Harlan, Tenn.; Mrs. J. H. Thomas, Forest City, N. C.; J. D. Carter, Shelby county.—Mr. and Mrs. Walter Boyd, of Corbin, were here Saturday and Sunday on account of the death of her brother, Homer Sutton—Millard Sutton, who is now in Army service, and stationed at Camp Custer, was at home a few days this week on account of the death of his brother.—J. H. Ward, of Crestwood, near Louisville, was here several days this week the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Fred Bowder.—Mrs. Frank Catron, daughter of Mrs. John Riddle, of this place, underwent a serious operation in Indianapolis first of the week, and is reported to be getting along nicely.—At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the town of Brodhead last Friday evening the resignations of Jacob Elder and Jop Albright were received and A. M. Hiatt and L. N. Bowling appointed instead. Jop Albright was then appointed marshal and assumed his duties immediately.—Cress & Broyles and Sayers & Hamm shipped a car each of hogs from here Thursday.—Mr. and Mrs. David Masters have moved from Corbin to Gum Sulphur.—Mrs. Walter Robbins and children spent Thanksgiving giving with Mrs. W. A. B. Davis at Mt. Vernon.—Miss Mildred Robbins was in Mt. Vernon Thursday, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. F. L. Durham.—The following Thanksgiving programme was

carried out at the Christian church Thursday afternoon:

Music—Star Spangled Banner

and America

President's Proclamation. A. M. Hiatt,

Invocation, Rev. A. J. Pike.

Scripture Reading—10th Psalm.

A. E. Albright.

Music—Onward Christian Soldiers.

Prayer—James Meredith.

Origin of Thanksgiving, E. A. Strange.

Sermon—Rev. L. N. Bowling.

The following items were copied from the Star and Strip, the official newspaper of the A. E. F., published in France, a bearing date of October 25. The paper was sent us by Sergt John Noe, son of our West Main street merchant, T. N. Noe.

A SOLDIER.

An incident that will linger long in the memory of those who part in the gallant advance of the Second Division in Champagne came when, as will happen sometimes in all battles in all armies, the artillery was falling short.

The advance had been so swift that there were no wires by which the warning could be sent back. The need for action was so immediate that there was no time to send a runner back and no certainty that a runner could get back.

Then, abruptly and on his own initiative, a Signal Corps sergeant started to shiny up a telephone pole. Under the crossing fire from the two batteries, in full sight and within wickedly easy range of German snipers and German machine gunners, he went up that pole and from that high and conspicuous place, signaled the message back.

When he came down an officer congratulated him warmly and asked for his name and outfit. The sergeant grinned and started to fade away.

"But you don't understand," the officer explained. "I want to recommend you for a D.S.C."

"Yes," said the sergeant, just before he faded away entirely, "that's just what I thought."

'DO UNTO OTHERS'

Courtesy is almost unvarying in the A. E. F.—in the offices of R. T. O's, A. P. M.'s everywhere, in fact, where soldiers are serving their fellow soldiers. The Golden Rule seems to be observed as if it were a general order.

Sometimes, however, when a soldier sees a soldier revelling in brief authority and misusing it, he wishes there might fall to this man what they say came to a lieutenant in a certain A. E. F. rest area.

The story is that this lieutenant was bossing a detail when a mild looking gentleman in a derby hat walked around a corner and inquired politely:

"Lieutenant, what part do you happen to be playing in the war?"

"I am the supplying officer of the Umptieth battalion!" retorted the officer with combative dignity, as if scenting a chance to bawl somebody out. "And who is it wants to know?"

"I am the Secretary of War," said the man in civilian clothes.

WITHERS

Ben Mullins is on a trip in the western part of the county this week—Misses Etta and Bess Daugherty, of Berea, after spending a month with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Daugherty, have returned home—Mrs. M. E. Price and daughters, of Level Green, are with her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Mullins, this week.—J. H. Mullins, who has been on the sick list for a few days, is better.

—Mrs. Louisa Allen has been at the bed side of her son, Wilson Allen, who is very sick with the flu, but is said to be better at present.—Mrs. Jones Durham, of Dango, was the guest of Mrs. Mattie Mullins, Monday.—Some

of the folks of this part have taken advantage of the last few cool days in slaughtering their hogs.—The flu has visited many families in and around this neighborhood, killing as many as two and three in some families.

Some of the schools that have been closed on account of flu have been opened this week—Most every one in this part have commenced gathering corn.—Mrs. Melvin Barnett, after several days visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mose Mullins, of Cruise, have returned home.

BANK STATEMENT.

Report of the condition of the First State Bank, doing business at the town of Livingston, County of Rockcastle, State of Kentucky, at the close of business on 15th day of November, 1918:

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$28,483.95
Ove d ft, secured and unsecured	390.99
Stock, Bonds and other securities	13,500.00
Due from Banks	9,543.76
Cash on hand	5,173.43
Checks and other cash items	753.51
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	2,629.43
Other Assets not included under any of above heads	53.89
Total	\$60,528.96

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in, In cash	\$14,550.00
Undivided Profits, less	553.35
Deposits sub ject to check \$41,725.61	45,425.61
Time Deposits 3,700.00	

\$60,528.96

State of Kent. County of Rockcastle, Sct.

We, L. H. Davis and A. B. Humble, President and Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

L. H. Davis, President,
A. B. Humble, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of November 1918
My commission expires April 10, 1922.

J. P. E. Drummond
R. G. Webb
Thos C. Welch

Directors.

G. W. Murphy, Notary Public

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT.

T. J. Nicely, Adm'r of George W. Anderson Dec'd Plaintiff.

Vs : Notice of sitting to receive claims.

Frank Anderson, &c, Defendants.

All creditors of the estate of George W. Anderson, deceased, are hereby notified to present their claims against same, properly proven, before me on the 14th day of December, 1918. Beginning on said date I will sit daily to receive and register such claims and proof, and will hold my said sittings at the law office of L. W. Bethurum, in Mt. Vernon, Kentucky.

G. S. Griffin, Commissioner.

CHAMBERLAIN'S COUGH REMEDY.

Do not imagine that because other cough medicines failed to give you relief that it will be the same with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Bear in mind that from a small beginning this remedy has gained a world wide reputation and immense sale. A medicine must have exceptional merit to win esteem wherever it becomes known.

Children Of FOR FLETCHER'S CASTOR

PROPERLY FITTED GLASSES AT THE RIGHT TIME is of Greatest Importance.

If your eyes are showing any defects now is the time to see

DR. MOORE, The Optician Cox Building, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

FOR FRESH Groceries SEE T.J. Mullins

12 MILES EAST OF ORLANDO On Coopersburg Road

Arbuckle Coffee

23c

ROCKCASTLE CIRCUIT COURT.

T. J. Nicely, Adm'r of SHERMAN MOORE, Plaintiff.

vs : Notice of Sitting to receive claims.

MISSOURI PATTERSON, A. J. MOORE, OLLIE J. BRYANT, &c, Defendants.

All creditors of the estate of Sherman Moore, deceased, are hereby notified to present their claims against same, properly proven, before me on the 14th day of December, 1918. Beginning on said date I will sit daily to receive and register such claims and proof, and will hold my said sittings at the law office of L. W. Bethurum, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

G. S. Griffin, Commissioner.

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MT. VERNON KY., NOV. 29, 1918

79 Up "No. 29" when
one with SIGNAL



LOUISVILLE & NASHVILLE R. R. CO.

TIME TABLE.

22 north 4:57 p m
24 north 8:35 a m
28 south 12:35 p m
21 south 12:45 a m

JAS. LANDRUM, Agent.
Phone No. 8.

Entered at the Mt. Vernon, Ky. Post Office
as second-class mail matter.

PERSONAL

Rd Jones is at home this week to see his mother.

Rob McKenzie has a position with the L & N at Corbin.

Mrs. Walter Robins, of Brodhead, is visiting relatives here.

C. D. Sutton spent the first days of the week in Cincinnati buying goods.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fish ate Thanksgiving dinner with relatives at London.

Mrs. Lusier E. Blair, of Moreland, is with her grandmother, Mrs. Francis.

Bingham Sheppard's family, who were so very sick last week are reported better.

Mr. G. G. Sowder, of Indiana, is in the county this week visiting Rockcastle relatives.

C. L. Riddle and family, of East Benstadt, spent weekend with J. W. Riddle, at Cove.

W. F. Baker was in Louisville most of the week buying goods and especially his Xmas line.

Miss Rose Stewart, of Pennsylvania, is the guest of her sister, Miss Anna Stewart, at Langdon Memorial.

Dr. G. B. Lawrence, who has been very sick at his home near Level Green, is some better, but still a very sick man.

Oscar Bryant has resigned from the L & N., and will devote his entire time to the garage and automobile business.

Mr. and Mrs. Meshac Gentry accompanied the remains of Mrs. Hosack to Ohio. Mrs. Gentry will remain in Ohio for several weeks. Mr. Gentry will return to his work in Harlan County.

Dave Clark, who is just recovering from a severe attack of influenza, was able to come to town Thursday. His son, who is in the navy and who has been very low, is reported some better. He was operated on last Tuesday, and a telegram announcing that fact also said there was nothing alarming about his condition.

Mrs. Sue Mullins was up from Livingston last week to see her sister, Mrs. Cummins, and other relatives and friends. "Aunt Sue" as she is affectionately called by her many friends is one of Rockcastle's most public spirited women. She is one of Livingston's largest property owners and has some of the most desirable property in that good town; she has been a strong supporter of good roads and has done all she could to help in the promotion of Dixie and Boone highways. No one rejoices in the prosperity and happiness of her people, more than "Aunt Sue".

LOCAL

Everything to wear, at
SUTTON & MCBEE'S.

We have a big lot of new coats for ladies in velv. plush and broadcloth, all colors,

SUTTON & MCBEE'S.

District Game Warden, Henry Goff, of Burnside, was in town Monday and warns everybody wishing to hunt to take out license. He finds most everyone complying with the law so far as he has investigated.

Mrs. Hosack, mother of Mrs. Meshac Gentry, died rather suddenly Sunday night, although she had been in poor health for several months. She was afflicted with a goiter and from the time she called to her daughter, Mrs. Gentry, that she was choking to death, it was less than 30 minutes until she had passed into the great beyond. Her remains were taken to Belle Center, Ohio, her home, for burial.

Women's and children's coats.
SUTTON & MCBEE'S.

You can get any kind of an up-to-date coat for women, at
SUTTON & MCBEE'S.

The ban has been lifted on flour and substitutes are not required when purchases of flour are made.

For SALE: — Duroc Jersey, Big Type fall pigs, of best blood lines. Pedigree furnished. For sale by W. H. Miller, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

In the casualty list of wounded on the Western front appears the names of Robert Clifford, of Pine Hill, and Raymond Weaver, of near Quail, as slightly injured.

Appropriate Thanksgiving services were held at the Christian church last evening, conducted by Rev. H. T. Young, pastor Christian church, and Dr. Moore, pastor Presbyterian church.

There will be a public meeting at the Court house on Monday night at 7 o'clock, for the presentation of the new Conservation Program of the Food Administration. The Food Administration hopes to have every home in the town represented.

Mr. M. F. Craig, of the Brodhead section of Rockcastle, was here Saturday returning from Garrard county, where he had been at the bedside of his relative, J. Mart Craig. He left him considerably improved. He has had a fearful case of influenza. — Interior Journal.

All those in the 18 year old class who have not returned their questionnaires, should do at once and save trouble. The Local Board has requested us to say to those in the 18 class that these Questionnaires must be returned. The 18 year olds are the only ones having questionnaires who are required to fill and return them.

The news of the death of Dr. Grover Price, who died in France a few days ago of pneumonia, brought the deepest of sorrow to his many personal friends in Rockcastle, his home county. To his wife, widowed mother, sisters and brothers, we join in with the host of sorrowing friends in extending our deepest sympathy.

MISS LENA McCLEURE

WEDS ARMY OFFICER.

Sunday's Courier Journal contained the following dispatch from Frankfort.

Miss Lena McClure, of Somerset, who has been employed in the Secretary of State's office, left to day for New York, where she will wed Lieut. William Elliston, formerly assistant State fire marshall. Mr. Elliston, whose home is in Grant County, has been attached to field headquarters, Engineers Corps, with the Expeditionary Force and has just returned from France. Miss McClure is the niece of Judge B. J. Bothurum, of Somerset.

Miss McClure is well known in Somerset where she has a host of friends who extend congratulations and best wishes that her matrimonial voyage may be a happy and prosperous one.

CAN YOU BEAT IT?

Geo. W. Marler, one of the progressive farmers of the West side, has made a record on one acre of ground, which we believe is hard to beat. Most of it came about by accident says Mr. Marler, but even with that, it shows what could be done by real effort.

First the ground was planted in corn which appeared to be a failure; then Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, tomatoes, radishes, turnips and pumpkins followed each sowing or planting appearing to be a failure, and the entire crop was more or less neglected and considered worthless or too much so to be given any particular attention when other crops on the farm needed the full time of all farm hands. But when harvest time came a different story was told and this is what Mr. Marler reports from the different plantings on that one acre:

60 bu. Irish potatoes, 15 bu. sweet potatoes, 20 bu. corn, 30 bu. tomatoes, 3 bu. radishes, 200 bu. turnips and 50 large pumpkins. Who says Rockcastle is not the garden spot.

One of Mr. Marler's neighbors, Mr. H. C. Blanton raised and sold in the field of 10 acres \$600 worth of corn. U. G. Baker and several others will bear witness to the correctness of these figures.



It Pays to be Particular

You probably know some one man whose appearance is admired by everybody.

And the reason is—he is particular in his selection of clothes.

It doesn't cost any more to be particular than to be careless—if you do your buying here.

We specialize on three things:—variety of stock, value for your money, and courtesy of service.

Can you afford to overlook these?

SUTTON & MCBEE

The Clothcraft Store

LAND, STOCK AND CROP. S. S. Purcell, the West Side stock dealer reports a few sales and purchases for the week: Sold 10 yearlings for \$400. Sold to Will Rogers a 5-year-old horse mule for \$1.75. Bought of Hiram Laws a 4-year-old mule for \$125; and from E. Burton, a milch cow for \$50.

Food Administration

The work of the Food Administration is very far from being finished. We are just starting into a campaign that is more intensive than any we have yet had. Last year, we shipped to Europe 7,000,000 tons of food stuff. There are now 225,000,000 European peoples who are looking to us for food. No one else can supply this year. We must ship them 20,000,000 tons of food or they will perish. We are not asked to give, but to save food; that they may buy until they can produce foods of their own. No one worthy of American citizenship can waste food, with the cry of starving millions ringing in his ears. On December first, a Nation wide campaign will be begun. In this campaign, the conservation program of the Food Administration will be carried to every home. A proclamation will be read from every pulpit and in each school house, public meetings will be called, and for one week, the Food Administration will appeal to our great American people with the slogan—"Food Will Save the World".

H. T. YOUNG

Rockcastle County

Food Administration,

Mt. Vernon, Ky.

Mrs. J. W. Brown,

Conservation Chairman.

FOR SALE.

Ford, 5 passenger 1917—Model in good mechanical condition. Price \$325.00. Must be sold by Dec. 10th. And it can be done. Come in walking and let's talk it over in a business way and go out riding.

DICK ALBRIGHT.

Brodhead, Ky.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
In Use For Over 30 Years
Always bears the
Signature of

HAPPINESS SAYS:
Keep your child well and happy
USE
STERIZOL
Cleanliness protects your child's health while at school.
I'M WELL I'M WELL I'M WELL

Sold by Mrs. R. A. SPARKS

COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

The following teachers received prizes in the Box Supper contest. The winners appear in rotation, the largest prize winners name coming first: Edith Phillips, Tabitha Hatt, Delora Boyd, Lillie Seaborn, Jessie DeBord, J. L. Thompson, Odessa Burton, Sherman Chasteen and Clyde Watson, Ella M. Coffey.

Clothercraft and Hart Schaffner & Marx clothing for men.

SUTTON & MCBEE.

COMING HOME.

Now that it's all over, we have beaten the foe,

No more going over, home's the place we go,

To kiss dear old mother, how proud she will be!

With tears in her eyes, she'll say,

"You came back to me,"

Then you'll meet your old sweetheart, been waiting for you,

The one the day you left promised to be true;

You'll walk around the town, and meet all your old friends,

They take you by the hand, and say,

"I'm glad to see you home again."

And after celebrating the happy feast of days,

You'll fall asleep a-dreaming, and in your dreams this is what you'll say:

No more getting up at 6 in the morning, no more standing re-veille;

No more eating out of a mess kit, No more saluting officers that I see;

No more guard duty, no more details, no more going to bed at taps for me,

No more squads left, no more squads right and never again I'll be a K. P.

There's going to be no wood pile in the place where I'm going.

I'll be able to drink beer by the glass,

I won't have to stand in good with the first sergeant

To be able to get a twenty-four-hour week end pass;

When you wake up you're glad you've done your bit, the world is proud of you;

You're a man every inch of it, cause you served the Red, White and Blue.

RED + CROSS

Chairman, Chas. C. Davis is getting everything ready for the Christmas Roll Call for the Red Cross. There is nothing more or less to it, than you are asked to pay \$1.00 for your 1918 member of the Red Cross.

No explanation is necessary as to what the Red Cross is doing, has done and will continue doing. Every adult in Rockcastle county is asked to give \$1.00 and each child 25 cents, and every person in the county will have an opportunity to answer that call.

For SALE: — Ancon Chickens, brood best laying strains. For sale by W. H. Miller, Mt. Vernon, Ky.

DRUMMOND'S CASH GROCERY STORE

NAVY BEANS

12½¢

per lb.

Just received a new line of

TIN AND ENAMELWARE

FRESH FRUITS and CANDIES a specialty

DRUMMOND'S LIVINGSTON



Peace Has Come

THE ringing of bells and the song of the whistles told of the joy that is in ten million mothers' hearts today—

—the thunder of the guns has been silenced—the quiet of Peace has descended like a benediction on the martyred fields of France—and our boys will be coming home.

You mothers, you sisters, you wives, you sweethearts who have waited and feared and wondered if your boy would ever come back—who have prayed for him in the quiet night hours, have tramped with him in spirit on weary marches, stood with him in the rain and mud of the trenches and suffered

with him on his hospital cot—what must be your joy today, for he is coming back to you.

The clouds have broken, the shadows have passed—the pure sweet light of Peace is bathing the world as on Resurrection Morn.

Peace has come!

The Cash Store

FISH & SON

Mt. Vernon, Ky.

THE STORE THAT GIVES YOU BIGGEST VALUES

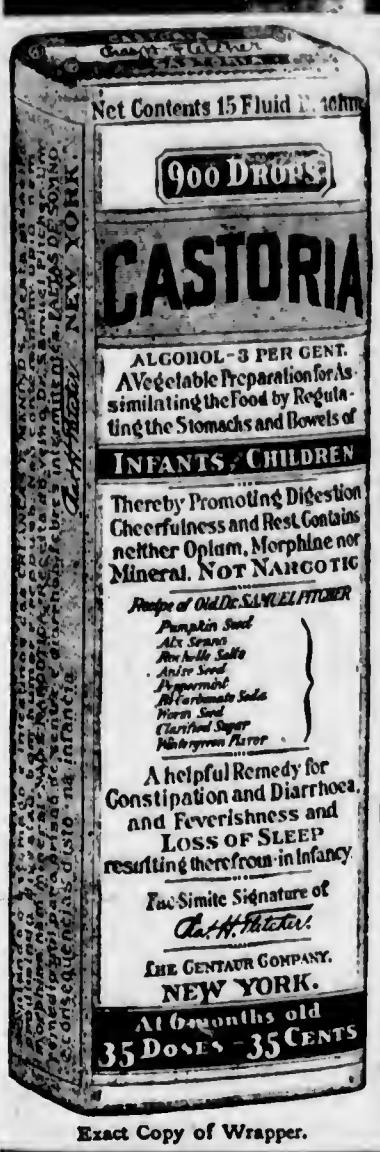
Get the Genuine and Avoid Waste.
MORGAN'S SAPOLIO SCOURING SOAP
Economy in Every Cake

HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh.

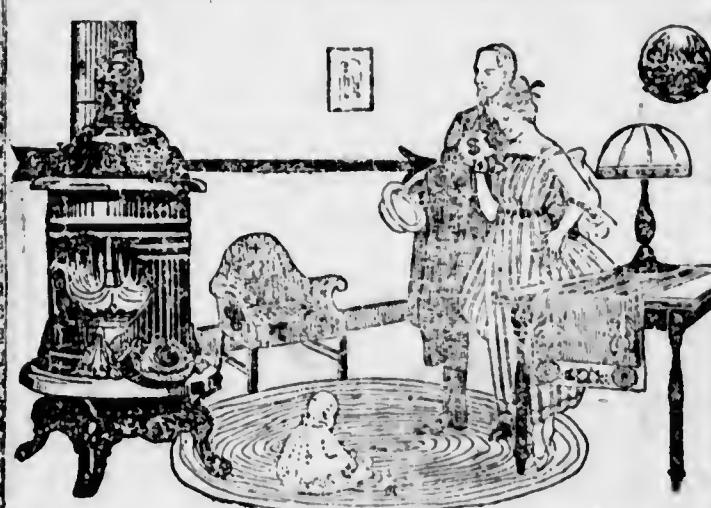
Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.



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For Infants and Children.
Mothers Know That
Genuine Castoria
Always
Bears the
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In
Use
For Over
Thirty Years
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C. C. COX



Everybody's Attention

has been called to the remarkable fuel saving secured with Cole's Original Hot Blast Heaters. Coal prices are soaring—why be a slave to an extravagant heating plant or stove that is a demon for fuel.

Join now in the great army of satisfied users who have found relief from high fuel bills with the great fuel saving

COLE'S Original Hot Blast Heater

Burns cheapest coal clean and bright. Uses any fuel

Everybody is searching for a way to save fuel and food. Here's your opportunity to cut your coal bills square in half and gain a perfectly heated home as well. Investigate now. Our Store is Fuel Savers Headquarters.

No. 112

IT'S NOT YOUR HEART IT'S YOUR KIDNEYS

Kidney disease is no respecter of persons. Virtually the ill health affecting people today can be traced back to kidney trouble.

The kidneys are the vital important organs of the body, and are the purifiers of your blood.

Kidney disease is usually indicated by weariness, sleeplessness, nervousness, debility, backache, stomach trouble, constipation, pain in the lower abdomen, gallstones, gravel, rheumatism, sciatica, and lumbago.

All these maladies are nature's signal to warn you that the kidneys need help. You should use GOLD MEDAL Kidney Oil Capsules immediately.

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Bank of Mt. Vernon, on
Church St.—Special atten-
tion given collections,
PHONE 80

Children Cry
FOR FLETCHER'S
GASTORIA

CECIL HAYES
(Continued from 1st page)

Will it not be nice when the boys can come home (and that will be only a question of a few months at the greatest) and meet father and mother, who have prayed and grieved for them during their absence; and meet brothers and sisters, and all be reunited, and then he can stand up before the world, and before father and mother, showing that there is not a drop of "slacker" blood running his veins, and can truthfully say to the world that I have done my bit in making the world safe for Democracy?

Camp Greene is located about three miles north of Charlotte. It is a very nice camp, although not so nice as some of the other camps of the country, especially Camp Taylor, which is said to be the very best in the country. I have seen several of the boys who have served at Camp Taylor and they always have something good to say about it.

Charlotte is a nice and prosperous little city with about 50,000 inhabitants. They give all kinds of amusements. In connection with these organizations here in the camp for the benefit of the soldiers. These organizations are: The Y.M.C.A., K. of C., Jewish Welfare Board, Y.W.C.A. etc., all of which seem to take a great interest in the soldiers, and can, more than anything else, make us feel at home. All that I heard said about the "Y" before I came here I could scarcely believe, but since I have come and seen them at work I must agree that there hasn't been enough said about them nor enough done in their maintenance, altho almost all the people back home have done lots and we appreciate it too. The "Y's" are where we can go when we feel blue, when we feel good, when we want to write a letter home when we want to go to a movie and when we want to go to church or Sunday School, and if it isn't too much to say, they are the main spoke in the "moral" wheel of the army. These organizations are doing all they can for the boys before they are discharged to get them back into civilian life as good citizens as they were when they came to the army, by giving them daily lectures (and schools for those who cannot read or write) that they might be worth more to their country and be in a position to enjoy its Liberty and Freedom more than they ever did before.

The army has been beneficial to me physically. I have gained about 30 pounds in weight in three months and had the fun in the meantime. I guess it will not be very long till some of the boys will begin to come home, of course it will be a little longer till all of them will be back from over the sea. I think the plans of this camp are to get all of the men out of this camp by the first of the year, but I haven't seen the official "dope" on it yet.

It can be said of America as was never said of any nation before that she saved the world for Democracy, Christian religion and for the Humanity in general, and we are now recognized as the youngest nation yet the strongest on the globe.

Will not write too much to worry your readers. Regards to all my friends and more especially to those at home. Would like to hear from any of my old friends who would care to write. With best wishes, I am,

Yours truly,

CECIL HAYES,
Headquarters Co.
Camp Greene,
Charlotte, N. C.

ABOUT CROUP.

If your children are subject to croup, or if you have reason to fear their being attacked by that disease, you should procure a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and study the directions for use, so that in case of an attack you will know exactly what course to pursue. This is a favorite and very successful remedy for croup, and it is important that you observe the directions carefully.

**KERNELS PICKED HERE
AND THERE.**
Chicago daily wastes \$2,000
worth of milk bottles.

There are more than 25,000,000 cats in the United States.

Whitechurch, Shropshire, Eng.

land, raised \$100,000 in its war weapons week.

Argentine women have won their right to all the professions, including engineering and law. The Universal Shipyard at Houston, Texas, has a woman oakum spinner who works nine hours every day.

Flexible tips feature the new umbrella ribs which their inventor claims will prevent an umbrella from being blown inside out.

Mr. Lloyd George has a salary of \$25,000 a year as first Lord of the Treasury, but is unpaid as Prime Minister.

The battleships of today can fire two shots discharge as great a weight of metal as an entire broadside of Nelson's greatest ship.

A group of retail grocers in Vancouver, B. C., recently conducted a campaign of advertising to educate the public of the desirability of eating whale meat.

Cotton seed formerly thrown away is now bringing \$75 a ton. A ton yields 280 pounds of crude oil, 800 pounds of meal, animal food, and 125 pounds of ammonia.

At the outset of the war Germany had 71 cents in gold for every dollar of paper money. Today she has only 18 cents in gold for every dollar of paper money.

That oil and gas are minerals within the meaning of reservation by deed of all "minerals rights" upon the land described in the deed, is held in an Oklahoma court.

John Ward, a colored man of Goldsboro, North Carolina, has thirteen of his eighteen sons in the 9th and 10th United States Cavalry, while his seventeen daughters are busy with war work.

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